

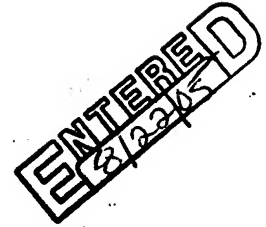
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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of: )  
Hiroto YOSHII, ET AL. )  
Application No.: 10/001,974 )  
Filed: December 5, 2001 )  
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APPARATUS AND METHOD, )  
COMPUTER-READABLE )  
MEMORY, AND PROGRAM )

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 13, 2005, please amend this application as follows: